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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Paolo DARJO et al.  
Serial No. : 10/581,660  
Filed : June 3, 2006  
For : ENDOSCOPIC SURGERY DEVICE  
Group Art Unit : 3734  
Examiner : Jennifer Lea Hornberger  
Confirmation No. : 3944

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to an Office Action dated April 17, 2008. A Petition For Extension is attached. Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

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